

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY VALLETTA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 8189

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: SWEL  
SUBJECT: AMBASSADOR'S MEETING WITH GOM MINISTER OF  
- HEALTH

REF: STATE 115550

1. GOM MINISTER OF HEALTH MORAN HAS ASKED FOR A MEETING WITH THE AMBASSADOR TO DISCUSS COOPERATION IN THE HEALTH FIELD. HIS REQUEST WAS APPARENTLY PROMPTED BY PRESIDENT CARTER'S STATEMENT ON INTERNATIONAL HEALTH (REF TEL) WHICH WAS SENT TO THE MINISTER A FEW DAYS BEFORE HE REQUESTED THIS MEETING. PRESUMABLY MORAN NOTED IN PARTICULAR PRESIDENT CARTER'S STATED INTENTIONS FOR THE USG TO WORK CLOSELY WITH NATIONS AROUND THE WORLD TO IMPROVE THE HEALTH OF PEOPLE EVERYWHERE. ANY FURTHER INFORMATION ON THE USG'S PLANS IN THIS AREA WHICH MIGHT BE RELEVANT TO MALTA WOULD BE HELPFUL. AS THE MEETING IS SCHEDULED FOR MAY 23 A RESPONSE BEFORE THAT DATE WOULD BE APPRECIATED.
2. NEEDLESS TO SAY THE AMBASSADOR HAS NO INTENTION OF BECOMING INVOLVED IN THE ONGOING DISPUTE BETWEEN THE GOM AND THE LOCAL MEDICAL ASSOCIATION. LAINGEN

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